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ONE CENT

FORTY-FOUR BODIES REMOVED FROM THE CINCINNATI MINE; MANY ARE IDENTIFIED

Total Number Dead From Awful Disaster Stated to be 92--Rumored That There are From Three to Five Yet to Come to Morgue--Three Companies of Experts Will Make Inspection Before Coroner's Inquest is Held

TWO MEN FOUND ALIVE INSIDE WORKINGS; TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

By Floyd Chalfant.

The removal of 44 bodies from the interior of the Cincinnati mine this morning the rescue corps practically ended their labors. All these bodies were transferred to the Bebout and Yohe morgue at about 7 o'clock and as rapidly as possible prepared for identification.

Nearly 70 identifications had been made, all told, up until about 2 o'clock this afternoon. The total number dead was authentically given at the morgue as 92. Later a report was circulated that three and then that five bodies had been found in the workings and would be brought to the morgue.

Two Men Found Alive.

Charles Crall, an American of Monongahela and Phillip Legler of Elk-horn were found alive by the rescue crew of state mine inspectors at about 11 o'clock in the mine Friday night. Both were weak. Crall however, was jovial. He remarked that he was saving a crust of bread for his Sunday dinner. Legler was so far gone that he hardly cared to try to talk.

Crall, who had lost an eye in the Marianna disaster of some years ago, insisted that he could walk to the mine opening, and to prove it did walk part way. Legler was taken out on a dilly. The men discovered were lying on the floor, one with a block of wood under his head and the other with a piece of cloth. Crall told a vivid narrative about the 52 hours of waiting they had spent in the mine. They had kept together, and had tried to keep Thomas Donnelly formerly of Charleroi with them. Donnelly was overcome. Crall and Legler removed his clothing and tried to resuscitate him, without avail. They had to leave him. Crall said that they heard the explosion and realized what had happened, but could not escape. He says he almost went insane. Sulphur water was all they had to drink and their first question was for water. Legler and Crall had divided what food they had between them.

Identification Scenes Horrible

Some of the bodies at the morgue show badly cut features. Faces are blackened. The majority brought to the morgue today were foreigners. A constant stream of humanity passed by the caskets. Women made widows by the catastrophe, anxious to recover the bodies of their husbands, hastened down the line, viewing critically the faces of the corpses. Agonized moans were to be heard continually as features were recognized. One woman of foreign nativity, young and beautiful, gazed for a moment at the darkened face of one of the victims. Suddenly she half swooned into the arms of an attendant, moaning. It was her husband. Through a card index system the bodies were tabbed as they were identified. Caskets were being carried out almost continually. Those in

charge of tabbing the bodies have been nearly distracted by the work for the simple reason that identification is made usually by either a widow, a sister of a brother, who, grief-stricken, is unable to tell a connected story or even answer questions.

Quiet About the Mine.

Everything is quiet about the mine, the center of interest having been transferred to Monongahela. Even the railroad officers and the State police left the mine this morning. They had been on duty continually since last Wednesday afternoon. At 9:30 o'clock this morning everybody was out of the mine. At that time a dilly was started in drawing a load of lumber. This lumber will be used in brattice work.

Experts to Inspect Mine.

Coroner James T. Heffran is the man generally in charge of the morgue at the present time, and will be the man who will conduct the all-important investigation. Three companies of experts will enter the mine before the coroner's inquest is held. One of these will be a company of State mine inspectors, another will be Coroner Heffran, District Attorney Richard G. Miller and President Van Bittner, president of the Pittsburgh District U. M. W. A. and one or two others to be selected later, and the third crew a company of experienced mining men. In addition most likely the coal company will have a crew of experts enter the mine, in order that they may be prepared for whatever appears at the coroner's jury.

Foreign Consuls Busy.

Cher. Guido di Vincenzo, the Italian consul, who is located at Philadelphia and a Mr. Obeck the Austrian consul, who has his office at Pittsburgh were both at the morgue this morning, looking after the interests of their people. They will remain as long as they are needed.

Mules Found Alive.

Five mules, including one of the famous old workers in the mine "Colonel" were brought this morning from the mine, alive. How they had lived can only be surmised. Two of them were found in a room by themselves, and towards the entry were found bodies of some men the evidence showing that the mules had kicked them out of the room. The other three mules were found together. A story is told that one of the mules was crazy.

Father Identified Donnelly

Thomas Donnelly, formerly of Charleroi was identified by his father, James Donnelly of Charleroi, and his body claimed. Donnelly is a well known young man.

Monongahela Raises Fund.

A number of fraternal orders of Monongahela have made contributions to the relief fund being raised there for the benefit of the widows and orphans of the Cincinnati victims. Tomorrow it is expected that the churches will make additional contributions.

BROWNSVILLE BRIDGE WORK TO BEGIN SOON

July 1 to See Start Made on Construction of River Structure--Contractors Will Not be Permitted to Delay Work

Work on the construction of the new river bridge at Brownsville will begin about the first of July. The structure is to be built by Fayette and Washington counties.

This week a meeting of the county commissioners of the two counties was held at Monongahela. The Monongahela bridge which was built about two years ago at a cost of \$240,000 was viewed. In many ways the Brownsville structure will be similar to the Monongahela bridge. Instead of the pine wood floor the Brownsville bridge will have a cross-otote wooden block floor and iron instead of wood guard rails like those on the Monongahela bridge.

It has been decided to spend at least \$200,000 on the new bridge and to make it one of the best along the Monongahela river. Special efforts will be made to get a most reliable contractor who will carry the work through with all possible haste and still get it well done. The Brownsville bridge will be nearly 1,100 feet long. It will be three spans. The span on the West Brownsville side will be 105 feet while that on the Fayette county side will be just even 100 feet. The other span will be 250 feet. Two piers will be 520 feet. Two piers will be necessary. On the West Brownsville side the approach to the bridge will have a 7.1 per cent grade, while on the opposite side the approach will have a five per cent grade.

It was decided yesterday to have the drive way on which there will be two street car tracks, twenty-four feet wide. The side walk with the railing will be about eight feet wide. The entire width of the structure will be about 34 feet. The commissioners voted to have the bridge constructed on the same site as the old one which was demolished more than two years ago. No trouble is anticipated from property owners at the approaches of the bridge.

Probably nine months will be required to complete the bridge. The commissioners present at the meeting at Monongahela were Charles Nott and John Langley from Fayette county and Thomas Hill and A. P. Barnum from Washington county. Engineer George Porter of Fayette county and Engineers Chaney and Armstrong of Washington were present.

One thing that will be watched is that a contractor is hired who will hasten the work. The commissioners of the two counties are tired of having work done at the sweet will of contractors.

BRIGGS BODY BROUGHT HOME

Charleroi Man Who Was Victim of Explosion Identified by Brother-in-Law

Funeral services are being held this afternoon at 3 o'clock over the body of Lemuel Briggs, 41 years old, one of the victims of the Cincinnati mine explosion, whose body was brought here Friday evening to the home of his father-in-law, Harvey Osborne, of Fifth street. The deceased, who is survived by a wife and two children, formerly lived in Charleroi, but some time ago moved to Venetia. Lately he rented a house in Charleroi and expected to move back. The body was identified by Alva Osborne, a brother-in-law.

Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, has charge of the service. The burial will take place in the Charleroi cemetery. The body is the first one of the explosion victims to be brought to Charleroi.

Organized Glass Company.

J. B. Branagan, former postmaster of Charleroi arrived in town Friday from Los Angeles, California, where he is now located. Mr. Branagan has organized a glass company in Los Angeles and came east in search of men and equipment for his plant. He expects to return to Los Angeles next week.

SIDEWALKS NOT DISPLAY PLACES

Complaints Made That Some Merchants Are Overstepping Bounds of Propriety

Some of the Charleroi merchants as well as citizens are putting up a kick about the use of the sidewalks for the display of merchandise by those who use the walks for advertising purposes. It is claimed that the walks in various places about town are so obstructed with merchandise that it is difficult to pass at times where there is a crowd out on Saturday nights or on other crowded occasions. There is a borough ordinance prohibiting the use of more than two feet of the sidewalks in front of a business place. It is claimed that this space is greatly exceeded in some instances and that unless it is discontinued the police will be called upon to enforce the ordinance.

Not only in Charleroi but elsewhere is there a movement on foot among the merchants to put a stop to the out-door displays. In the April number of the "General Store," a monthly periodical published at Pittsburgh and devoted to the interests of merchandising is a strong article against the sidewalk displays. One of the chief reasons for opposition is on the grounds of sanitation. Merchandise exposed out of doors accumulates all sorts of germs, and this is claimed to be a prolific source

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AUTHORITIES PROCURE FIRE BOSSES REPORTS

Tomorrow is One Easter

Russians to Observe Day--Count Months and Time by Ancient Calendar

Tomorrow is Easter Sunday in the Greek Orthodox church, which is the church of Russia. The reason is that the Russians use the old calendar, which makes a difference of 13 days in dates. However, Easter is chosen in the same way in the Greek Orthodox as in the Roman Catholic and Protestant churches. It falls on the first Sunday after the first full moon on or after March 21, and thus cannot be earlier than March 22, nor later than April 25. This year our Easter fell on March 23, the moon being propitious. But March 21 in the Russian calendar does not arrive until our April 3, and the moon's changes were such that their Easter was a comparatively late one, falling on their April 14, which is our April 27.

VETERANS ARRANGING FOR CAMP

Reunion to be held at Gettysburg of War Survivors

PLANS WELL UNDER WAY

The fiftieth anniversary of the battle of Gettysburg is to be celebrated on the battlefield on July 1, 2, 3 and 4 of this year on a magnificent scale. Accommodations for the entertainment for forty thousand veterans will be provided and the heroes of the "Blue and the Gray" who met in this titanic conflict fifty years ago will mingle once more. But this time the meeting will be on terms of peace and comradeship.

Pennsylvania has created a commission to take charge of the arrangements and Colonel J.M. Schoonmaker, colonel of the 14th Cavalry of Pennsylvania has been appointed chairman of this commission. He has issued a full pamphlet of details which may be had by any veteran or other interested party upon application to Lieutenant Lewis E. Beidler, Room 509 Capital, Harrisburg. The governors of every state and territory in the union including Alaska, Hawaii and Porto Rico have appointed representatives to co-operate with the Pennsylvania State Commission and the indications are that this anniversary will be the grandest military celebration in the history of the country.

Congress has also appointed a committee to represent the National Government.

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Investigation Into Mine Disaster to Begin Early

HEFFRAN WINS POINT

Coroner Tells Chief Mine Inspector There Will be No Delay and No Whitewash

Reports of the fire bosses made to the Pittsburgh Coal company of the condition of the Cincinnati mine a short time preceding the terrible explosion of Wednesday afternoon, were taken in charge by District Attorney Richard G. Miller Friday afternoon, and placed in the hands of Mine Inspector Alexander McCann to be produced when the coroner's inquest is held. At first the mine officials were disposed to not permit the district attorney, his assistant, T. H. W. Fergus, or Coroner James T. Heffran to see the records, but after conferring with their attorney they turned them over.

As soon as the explosion occurred the reports of the fire bosses were locked up by the officials of the company. One purpose of the visit of District Attorney Miller and Assistant District Attorney Fergus to the mine Friday was to secure these reports. Their contents will not be made known until the day of the inquest. It is understood the fire bosses reported gas in Butts Nos. 3, 4 and 6. Considerable stir has been caused among the miners by this report.

Coroner Heffran and District Attorneys Miller and Fergus visited the mine Friday. In discussing the matter with the coroner he expressed a desire to wait several days before he sent in his men to make an inspection. This was when the coroner and Attorneys Miller and Fergus visited the mine at noon Friday. Coroner Heffran insisted upon an immediate inspection as soon as the mine was safe to enter. Roderick objected. After some heated argument Coroner Heffran won his point and Sunday it is likely the first inspection will be made. It will be in charge of Coroner Heffran, who himself is an experienced miner. Coroner Heffran said: "A rigid investigation will be made as to the cause of the terrible disaster which has resulted in the deaths of so many men."

BOXING SHOW TO BE GIVEN TONIGHT

Tonight at Turner Hall a boxing match will take place. The main bout will be fought by Eddie Wimler of Fairhaven and Denny Conlon of Pittsburgh. Lohman of Belle Vernon will meet Cockey. Malone of Black Diamond in the semi-final and Jim Thompson of Charleroi will box with Pellet of Monessen in the opening event.

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tion, 5 cents a line each additional in-
sertion.

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CHARITY AT HOME.

Just as the country is about
through thrilling with pity and con-
tributing toward the relief of the
flood sufferers in Ohio and Indiana,
comes the great mine disaster at
Courtney which also demands immed-
iate relief. By this great disaster
many women have been widowed and
a large number of children orphaned.
There are the dependents of wage
earners, and by the death of the
bread winner want will soon be star-
ving them in the face. Immediate re-
lief is needed.

One half of the public does not
know how the other half lives.
Those in the better walks of life who
complain of the high cost of living
do not know, perhaps the severe
strain to which the families of wage
earners are put in trying to make
ends meet between paydays. In most
instances the living existence of the
families of laboring people is main-
tained solely upon the coming pay-
day, and when this payday is cut off
the source of existence is also elimi-
nated. When there is no pay com-
ing credit in most instances ceases,
and immediate want and suffering is
the result.

This is the situation among the
families of the men who lost their
lives in the Courtney disaster. It is
probable that some arrangement will
be made later on to provide for the
dependent ones permanently, but un-
til this is done immediate aid is im-
perative. A local fund for relief has
been started and those who can con-
tribute to tide over the suffering wo-
men and children will be performing
a most worthy act. It is sorely need-
ed.

PLACING THE BLAME.

The action of District Attorney
Miller and County Coroner J. T. Hef-
fran in taking immediate steps to in-
vestigate the mine disaster at Court-
ney will be heartily approved by the
public. There has always been a
sentiment on the part of the public
that the responsibility for such dis-
asters is never fully revealed and
that if the mining company is at
fault every opportunity is given to
shield it. The prompt action of
the Washington county officials show
that they are determined to make
every effort to place the responsibility
of the explosion where it belongs, and
to bring those who are responsible
to account if possible.

Public sentiment is now rapidly
crystallizing on the policy that hu-
man well being and safety must
stand above property interests.

Heretofore safety and the well being
of the public had to give way to the
pecuniary and vested interests of in-
dividuals and corporations. This con-
dition is now changing. If there is
to be a sacrifice now, it must be in
the interests of humanity and prop-
erty and vested interests no longer
have the right of way. Those re-
sponsible for great disasters in the
past have been exonerated and white-
washed, but indications are that no
effort will be spared to place the
blame for this disaster where it be-
longs. Human life is not so cheap as
it has been made to appear in the
past.

Examiners Appointed

**F. W. Cunningham, Harry
Drum and John Stephenson
Are Named by the Court**

Upon petition of F. W. Cunning-
ham, inspector of the 21st bituminous
coal district of Pennsylvania, through
his counsel, Alex M. Templeton, the
court has appointed F. W. Cunning-
ham, of Charleroi, a mine inspector;
John Stephenson, a miner of ten
years' experience, and Harry C.
Drum, a superintendent, members of
the examining board of the 21st dis-
trict.

INDIANAPOLIS CLUB IN BENEFIT GAME

A benefit game of baseball between
the Charleroi Independents and the
Indianapolis team of the Federal
League, which Manager Bill Phillips
is training here will be played next
Thursday. The proceeds are for the
Charleroi Playgrounds Fund, and a
large attendance is expected. The
date was decided upon this after-
noon and further arrangements will
be announced later.

LOVER

A surprise birthday party was giv-
en in honor of Miss Hazel, daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rider Monday
evening. The young folks spent a
pleasant evening and left quite a
number of beautiful presents in hon-
or of the occasion. Dainty refresh-
ments were served which made the
evening all the more enjoyable.

Wilbur Thompson near Coal Cen-
ter is spending a few days this week
here hanging paper for Mrs. Blaine
Duvall.

Mrs. I. E. Morris is visiting at the
home of her son Clyde in Sunbury,
Ohio.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Ray Small-
wood of the Ridge a daughter, April
19.

Mrs. E. N. Allman has returned
home from a visit with her daughter,
Mrs. William Sauters.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harrison en-
tertained several young folks at a
party at their home Thursday even-
ing of last week.

Mrs. Sol Rider and children of
Hayes Station are visiting at the
home of her father-in-law, Teagar-
den Rider.

A very large crowd attended the
party given by Miss Mayselle Scott,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles
Scott Thursday evening. A nice time
was had by those present.

Galbraith school will close April
30 with a picnic dinner by the school.

Miss Ora Letherman and sister
Mrs. Anna O'Hara were here Tues-
day canvassing for the Monongahela
Times, Miss Ora being in the contest
which is being conducted by that pa-
per.

Mrs. J. W. Thompson near Coal
Centre spent Wednesday with her
niece, Miss Bertie Waller.

Larry Gossitt and family who spent
a few days the first of the week with
Mrs. Gossitt's father, Frank Hope-
well have returned to their home at
Fredericktown.

PICKED UP IN PASSING VETERANS ARRANG- ING FOR CAMP

The roots of the national sport
have struck deeper than we know,
says the New York Evening Post.
It is not enough that the opening of
the baseball season finds Americans
in a flutter of pleasure; that as the
weeks go by prominent lawyers,
bankers and clergyman, to say noth-
ing of an army of business men, will
study the percentages and carefully
tuck them away in their memory.
People have grown accustomed, too,
to hearing the situations of every-
day life expressed in terms of "the
game." This of course is because the
game has grown up in a typically
American environment.

From somebody's head has sprung
the baseball muse, and in newspapers
throughout the land are appearing
day by day elaborate odes. From our
own city, continues the Post, comes
the following as a part of the day's
work:

"Play ball!" Again the summons runs
Through city, hamlet, town and
state.

Like the long roll of martial drums
That call a warrior to his fate.

Where he may snatch the victor's
crown
From Fame upon the scarlet field
Or, fighting to the last go down.

To be borne home upon his shield
"Play ball!" A countless horde of fans
From various vantage points descry
The colors of the gathering clans

And raise once more the battle cry
The waves of sound are outward
hurled

To merge in one deep claxon call
That echoes half around the world,
"The game is on! Play ball! Play
ball!"

With the native stock sitting should-
er to shoulder with the newer citi-
zens from France, Germany, Sweden,
etc., and with representatives of all
nations among the players; with the
president of the republic and mayors
of cities, plutocrats and commuters,
policemen and gamblers, as specta-
tors, baseball embraces all elements
of the country and its language has
come to be racy of the soil.

BENTLEYVILLE MAN AN HEIR

By a decision of Judge J. A. Mc-
Elvaine at Washington Friday the
most of the \$500,000 estate of Mrs.
Elizabeth Phillips, an eccentric resi-
dent of West Pike Run township,
Washington county goes to Charles
Miller, a young business man of Ben-
tleyville not related to Mrs. Phillips.
By this decision a fortune which has
remained in an old Washington coun-
ty family three generations goes out
of the family.

Mrs. Phillips was the last direct
member of the family and litigation
started three years ago by distant
cousins has been before the courts.

The cousins sought to break the will
on the ground that Miller used undue
influence over the aged woman in her
declining days.

The upholding of the Phillips will
makes certain for various churches,
charitable organizations and the
Washington county large sums left
by the woman. Washington county
receives \$10,000 to be applied to the
court house bonds; the County and
Children's Homes each will receive
\$4,000; the Beallsville Cemetery com-
pany, \$1,000; Beallsville Methodist
Episcopal Church, \$7,000; Beallsville
Presbyterian church, \$500; Center-
ville Methodist Episcopal church, \$1,
500; Clover Hill Methodist Episcopal
church, \$1,500; Zion Methodist Episco-
pal church of Deemston, \$1,500;
Beallsville school district, \$3,000;
West Pike Run school district, \$1,500;
the Board of Home Missions, Board
of Foreign Missions, Board of Church
Extension and Deaconess' society of
the Methodist Episcopal church of
Pittsburg to be equally divided.

Smaller requests are made to per-
sonal friends and the balance of the
estate in personal property, farm
land and coal goes to Miller.

The Mexican revolution came to
one of its numerous ends shortly af-
ter the Wilson administration began
in the United States. But that is not
capital for the Democratic party.

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ernment on this occasion and the
Secretary of War or such officer as
he may designate will have the phys-
ical control of the camp and grounds
and the movement of troops.

For the benefit of the veterans in
the Civil War and their friends who
may contemplate attendance at Get-
tysburg the following information is
published:

The sum as \$300,000 has been pro-
vided by the national government and
the state of Pennsylvania to create
and maintain a great camp around the
battlefield, complete in all provisions
of camp and garrison, equipped with
commissary and hospital supplies, am-
ple to provide for forty thousand vet-
erans.

Five thousand tents with equip-
ment complete excepting soap, tow-
el and toilet accessories, will be pro-
vided, each in touch with the repre-
sentative from this state as he alone
will have authority to assign veter-
ans to their proper tents.

To avoid congestion in the railroads
the camp will be thrown open to vet-
erans on Sunday, June 2, supper be-
ing the first meal served and the en-
tertainment of the veterans will con-
tinue until the following Sunday, July
6, breakfast on the morning being the
last meal served.

No accommodation have been pro-
vided except for veterans and this is
to be noted by soldiers who will be
accompanied by friends especially wo-
men and children. The veterans must
provide for each friend outside of
the camp and they should make the
necessary arrangements before going
to Gettysburg. Credentials will be
exacted from each and every veter-
an, honorable discharge papers, pen-
sion certificates, certificates of ser-
vice or certificates of identification
from commander of the post of the
Grand Army of the Republic will be
accepted as credentials.

No free transportation has yet
been provided by the Pennsylvania
legislature, but rates will be granted
by all railroads. Legislation is now
pending whereby transportation may
be provided for Pennsylvania veter-
ans.

A great tent seating 15,000 veter-
ans will be provided where all exer-
cises except military parades and
free works will be held. This tent is
so arranged that it can be divided in-
to smaller compartments for reunion
purposes and veterans wishing re-
servations made of these hall-rooms
should file an application early with
Lieutenant Lewis E. Beitel.

AMONG THE THEATRES

THE GRAND-PITTSBURG

It is doubtful if the theatrical season
thus far has offered for the delecta-
tion attraction than that which is to
top Mr. Harry Davis' program of re-
fined vaudeville in the Grand for one
week, beginning next Monday after-
noon, April 28. We refer to the com-
ing of Miss Lillian Russell, foremost
American stage beauty and feminine
philosopher, who will give a tabloid
version of her unique illustrated lec-
ture, "How to Live One Hundred
Years." Miss Russell, however, was
persuaded by Mr. Davis to play the
forthcoming week in vaudeville at a
salary exceeding that ever paid to
any single performer on the stage;
namely, thirty-five hundred dollars.
There will be two series of specially
composed motion pictures in color
taken by the Kinemacolor process and
depicting the star in her dressing-room
in the process of making up for the
stage.

Mr. Davis has also engaged a list
of feature attractions including Ger-
trude Vanderbilt, who was lately the
features of Raymond Hitchcock's pro-
duction of "The Red Widow," and
George Moore, a clever vaudevillian.

There will surely be a riot of fun
when the Empire Comedy Four un-
limbers. This is certainly the fun-
niest vocal quartet on the stage. Its
star is Joe Jenny, a German dialect-
ician of prankish habits. His associ-
ates are James Cunningham, Al Green
and James Kelly. "The Burglar's
Union" will be played by Williams,
Thompson and Copeland, a trio en-
tirely new in Pittsburgh.

A humorous glimpse of stageland
will be supplied by "Church" Riesner
and Henrietta Gores. It is called "It's
Only a Show," and is supposed to re-
veal some of the secrets of the stage.
Mr. Davis also announces several
other features in addition to a selec-
tion of motion pictures the whole
comprising a diversified program in
consonance with the Grand's well-
established high standard of refined
entertaining.

"KEEP IN SHAPE" ADVISES PHILLIPS

**Manager of Indianapolis
Team Says There Will be
Plenty of Work Next Week**

"Keep in shape, but don't over-
work," is the advice that Manager
Bill Phillips has been giving his men
training out here for the Indianapolis
Federal league. "Next week there
will be work and plenty of it, and
then will be the time to plug," Man-
ager Phillips is suffering from a crum-
pled limb, but is of the opinion that
the first of next week he will be able
to lead the players a merry chase.
His arm is in good condition, and it
would not be surprising to see him
taking his regular turn in the box
with Indianapolis when the season
gets well started.

Friday afternoon and this morning
much attention was given to fielding
practice. Tiemyer and "Dusty" Mil-
ler reported Friday and got into
gear. Tiemyer is an all round in-
fielder from the Tri State league,
having played last year with the
Trenton team. He looks good at
third base. Last year he played the
first cushion position. Scot is prac-
ticing on short, though he has usually
been playing third base. "Dusty"
Miller is an outfielder who last year
was a mainstay with a Western league
team. He is a good hitter.

It begins to look as though Phil-
lips had picked a bunch of husky hit-
ters. Their records show their abil-
ity in that line. Nassing, the hefty
catcher has been getting in form by
rehearsing at the first pillow, in the
absence of Swartling. He looks
as though he would kill a ball if he
ever met it straight, and his record

INJURED THUMB; BLOOD POISONING

George Giles of Roscoe who is em-
ployed as a carpenter on the P. V. &
C. railroad is suffering very serious-
ly from blood poisoning. While at
his work a week ago he ran into his
thumb a small splinter from a piece
of slag. It did not give him any
pain till Sunday morning. A doctor
was called in and he pronounced the
case one of blood poisoning. Mr.
Giles can neither eat nor sleep. It is
feared that by some that he may have
to have his hand amputated.

STATE MAKES OFFER TO BUY SCHOOL

The stockholders of the California
school have been called to meet on
Tuesday, May 20, at 2 o'clock, to vote
on the proposition of accepting or re-
jecting the offer of the state board
of education to purchase the prop-
erty of said school. The offer made by
the state is \$2,500 for the stock-
holders and the assumption of all
debts by the state.

Monessen Pastor to Leave.
Rev. G. H. Evener has tendered
his resignation as pastor of the Eng-
lish Lutheran church at Monessen to
take effect May 1. Rev. Evener has
accepted a charge at Dillsville and
the members of his Monessen flock
regret his departure as he has been
stationed there more than two years
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porting on account of the illness of
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penter was injured this morning at
about 8 o'clock in a fall of about 10
feet from a building on Eighth street
where he was working. The scaffold-
ing broke dropping Shunk and his
companion. His companion escaped
unhurt but Shunk's back struck on
the edge of the porch and he was
painfully injured. The attending phy-
sician stated that his worst hurts con-
sisted of torn muscles.

SEWICKLEY OPENS

SEASON HERE TODAY

With the opening game of base-
ball between the Charleroi Independ-
ents, and the Sewickley bunch under
the leadership of "Joe" Mason, Char-
leroi fans will get their first taste
of the national sport on local grounds
this afternoon. Charleroi's battery
is announced, as Ryan, Price, or
Briggs and Durell. Sewickley will
have Shaw, Jones, or Pennington,
and Peters, Block or Kelley. The
game is to be called at 3:30.

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Lutheran.

Washington and Sixth street. Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Subject of sermon, "Perseverance in Well Doing." Luther League at 6:30. Vesper services with sermon at 7:30. Subject, "The Young Man and His Vision." The public is most cordially invited to all these services. Rev. C. P. Bastian, pastor.

First Christian.

Fallowfield near Sixth. Bible school at 9:45. You are welcome. Come! Lord's supper and preaching at 11. Subject, "Administration for Christian Living." Junior Christian Endeavor at 3. Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Subject, "Bible Work and Its Relation to Mission." Leader, Duncan Berryman. Evening worship at 7:30. Subject, "Caleb, The Spy." Wednesday prayer meeting at 8. Teacher training classes at 9. This is the people's church. All are cordially invited to our services. Your are welcome. Come! Rev. E. N. Duty, pastor.

St. Mary's Episcopal.

Corner Sixth and Lookout. Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon at 11. The rector will preach a special sermon to the order of the Sons of St. George who will attend the morning service in a body. Evening prayer and address at 7:30. Subject "The Way of the Slothful and the Righteous." All are cordially invited. Rev. Lucius W. Shey, rector.

First Methodist, Episcopal

Corner Lincoln and Sixth. Church and Sunday school at 10:30. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at this service. Junior Epworth League at 2:30. Epworth League at 6:30. Public worship at 7:30, subject of sermon, "The Eternal Refuge." Everybody welcome. Rev. F. A. Richards, minister.

Baptist

Bible school at 9:45. Morning worship at 11. Sermon by the pastor. Young People's meeting at 6:30. Subject "Baptist Bible Work." Leader, D. C. Whitlatch.

First Presbyterian

Sunday school at 9:45. Morning service at 11. A collection will be received for the General Assembly. Junior C. E. at 2:30. Senior C. E. at 6:30. Evening service at 7:30. Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor.

EPWORTH LEAGUE SOCIAL IS HELD

The Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal church entertained at a social Friday evening at the church. An interesting program was carried out as follows. Reading, Miss Gwendolyn Richards; soprano solo, Miss Mary Glunt; reading, Raymond Craft; song, "Annie Laurie," soprano solo, Miss Ethel Booth; reading, Miss Vida Goehring; paper, "A Dream," Bill Booth; impromptu class, conducted by Miss Edith Hazelett; open debate, "Resolved, that a horse is better than an auto."

"DID HE RUN?" SURE SAID JOHN JENKINS

The second engagement of the Colonial Minstrels at the Palace Theatre last night again drew crowded houses. The solos and choruses were of an unusual high order, and all had to respond to encores. The gags were new for the most part, and some of them had a local application. The hit of the evening, however was John Jenkins' song, "Did He Run?" which most cleverly brought in some of the experiences of the Charleroi "snipe hunters." With a matinee this afternoon the show will be repeated tonight, which will close a most successful engagement.

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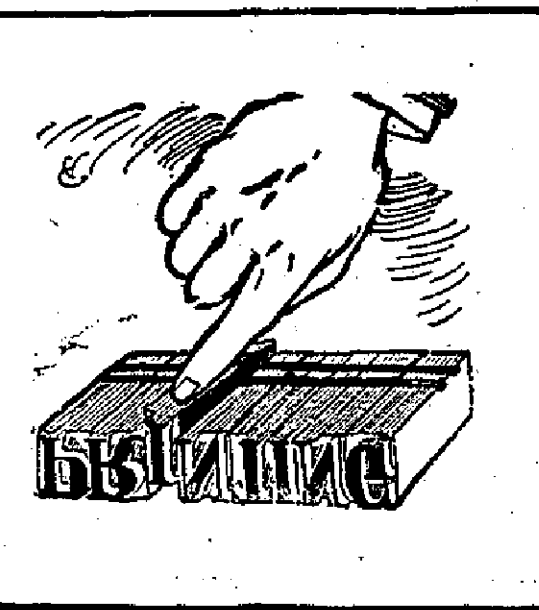
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ONE CENT

FORTY-FOUR BODIES REMOVED FROM THE CINCINNATI MINE; MANY ARE IDENTIFIED

Total Number Dead From Awful Disaster Stated to be 92--Rumored That There are From Three to Five Yet to Come to Morgue--Three Companies of Experts Will Make Inspection Before Coroner's Inquest is Held

TWO MEN FOUND ALIVE INSIDE WORKINGS; TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

By Floyd Chalfant.

By the removal of 44 bodies from the interior of the Cincinnati mine this morning the rescue corps practically ended their labors. All these bodies were transferred to the Bebout and Yohe morgue at about 1 o'clock and as rapidly as possible prepared for identification.

Nearly 70 identifications had been made, all told, up until about 2 o'clock this afternoon. The total number dead was authentically given at the morgue as 92. Later a report was circulated that three and then that five bodies had been found in the workings and would be brought to the morgue.

Two Men Found Alive.

Charles Crall, an American of Monongahela and Phillip Legler of Elk-horn were found alive by the rescue crew of state mine inspectors at about 11 o'clock in the mine Friday night. Both were weak. Crall however, was jovial. He remarked that he was saving a crust of bread for his Sunday dinner. Legler was so far gone that he hardly cared to try to talk.

Crall, who had lost an eye in the Marianna disaster of some years ago, insisted that he could walk to the mine opening, and to prove it did walk part way. Legler was taken out on a dilly. The men discovered were lying on the floor, one with a block of wood under his head and the other with a piece of cloth. Crall told a vivid narrative about the 52 hours of waiting they had spent in the mine. They had kept together, and had tried to keep Thomas Donnelly formerly of Charleroi with them. Donnelly was overcome. Crall and Legler removed his clothing and tried to resuscitate him, without avail. They had to leave him. Crall said that they heard the explosion and realized what had happened, but could not escape. He says he almost went insane. Sulphur water was all they had to drink and their first question was for water. Legler and Crall had divided what food they had between them.

Identification Scenes Horrible

Some of the bodies at the morgue show badly cut features. Faces are blackened. The majority brought to the morgue today were foreigners. A constant stream of humanity passed by the caskets. Women made widows by the catastrophe, anxious to recover the bodies of their husbands, hastened down the line, viewing critically the faces of the corpses. Agonized moans were to be heard continually as features were recognized. One woman of foreign nativity, young and beautiful, gazed for a moment at the darkened face of one of the victims. Suddenly she half swooned into the arms of an attendant, moaning. It was her husband. Through a card index system the bodies were tabbed as they were identified. Caskets were being carried out almost continually. Those in

charge of tabbing the bodies have been nearly distracted by the work for the simple reason that identification is made usually by either a widow, a sister of a brother, who, grief-stricken, is unable to tell a connected story or even answer questions.

Quiet About the Mine.

Everything is quiet about the mine, the center of interest having been transferred to Monongahela. Even the railroad officers and the State police left the mine this morning. They had been on duty continually since last Wednesday afternoon. At 9:30 o'clock this morning everybody was out of the mine. At that time a dilly was started in drawing a load of lumber. This lumber will be used in brattice work.

Experts to Inspect Mine.

Coroner James T. Heffran is the man generally in charge of the morgue at the present time, and will be the man who will conduct the all-important investigation. Three companies of experts will enter the mine before the coroner's inquest is held. One of these will be a company of State mine inspectors, another will be Coroner Heffran, District Attorney Richard G. Miller and President Van Bittner, president of the Pittsburgh District U. M. W. A. and one or two others to be selected later, and the third crew a company of experienced mining men. In addition most likely the coal company will have a crew of experts enter the mine, in order that they may be prepared for whatever appears at the coroner's jury.

Foreign Consuls Busy.

Cher. Guido di Vincenzo, the Italian consul, who is located at Philadelphia and a Mr. Obeck the Austrian consul, who has his office at Pittsburgh were both at the morgue this morning, looking after the interests of their people. They will remain as long as they are needed.

Mules Found Alive.

Five mules, including one of the famous old workers in the mine "Colonel" were brought this morning from the mine, alive. How they had lived can only be surmised. Two of them were found in a room by themselves, and towards the entry were found bodies of some men the evidence showing that the mules had kicked them out of the room. The other three mules were found together. A story is told that one of the mules was crazy.

Father Identified Donnelly

Thomas Donnelly, formerly of Charleroi was identified by his father, James Donnelly of Charleroi, and his body claimed. Donnelly is a well known young man.

Monongahela Raises Fund.

A number of fraternal orders of Monongahela have made contributions to the relief fund being raised there for the benefit of the widows and orphans of the Cincinnati victims. Tomorrow it is expected that the churches will make additional contributions.

BROWNSVILLE BRIDGE WORK TO BEGIN SOON

July 1 to See Start Made on Construction of River Structure--Contractors Will Not be Permitted to Delay Work

Work on the construction of the new river bridge at Brownsville will begin about the first of July. The structure is to be built by Fayette and Washington counties.

This week a meeting of the county commissioners of the two counties was held at Monongahela. The Monongahela bridge which was built about two years ago at a cost of \$240,000 was viewed. In many ways the Brownsville structure will be similar to the Monongahela bridge. Instead of the pine wood floor the Brownsville bridge will have a crosswise wooden block floor and iron instead of wood guard rails like those on the Monongahela bridge.

It has been decided to spend at least \$200,000 on the new bridge and to make it one of the best along the Monongahela river. Special efforts will be made to get a most reliable contractor who will carry the work through with all possible haste and still get it well done. The Brownsville bridge will be nearly 1,100 feet long. It will be three spans. The span on the West Brownsville side will be 105 feet while that on the Fayette county side will be just even 100 feet. The other span will be 250 feet. Two piers will be 520 feet. Two piers will be necessary. On the West Brownsville side the approach to the bridge will have a 7.1 per cent grade, while on the opposite side the approach will have a five per cent grade.

It was decided yesterday to have the drive way on which there will be two street car tracks, twenty-four feet wide. The side walk with the railing will be about eight feet wide. The entire width of the structure will be about 34 feet. The commissioners voted to have the bridge constructed on the same site as the old one which was demolished more than two years ago. No trouble is anticipated from property owners at the approaches of the bridge.

Probably nine months will be required to complete the bridge. The commissioners present at the meeting at Monongahela were Charles Nottingham and John Langley from Fayette county and Thomas Hill and A. P. Barnum from Washington county. Engineer George Porter of Fayette county and Engineers Chaney and Armstrong of Washington were present.

One thing that will be watched is that a contractor is hired who will hasten the work. The commissioners of the two counties are tired of having work done at the sweet will of contractors.

BRIGGS BODY BROUGHT HOME

Charleroi Man Who Was Victim of Explosion Identified by Brother-in-Law

Funeral services are being held this afternoon at 3 o'clock over the body of Lemuel Briggs, 41 years old, one of the victims of the Cincinnati mine explosion, whose body was brought here Friday evening to the home of his father-in-law, Harvey Osborne, of Fifth street. The deceased, who is survived by a wife and two children, formerly lived in Charleroi, but some time ago moved to Venetia. Later he rented a house in Charleroi and expected to move back. The body was identified by Alva Osborne, a brother-in-law.

Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, has charge of the service. The burial will take place in the Charleroi cemetery. The body is the first one of the explosion victims to be brought to Charleroi.

Organized Glass Company.

J. B. Branagan, former postmaster of Charleroi arrived in town Friday from Los Angeles, California, where he is now located. Mr. Branagan has organized a glass company in Los Angeles and came east in search of men and equipment for his plant. He expects to return to Los Angeles next week.

SIDEWALKS NOT DISPLAY PLACES

Complaints Made That Some Merchants Are Overstepping Bounds of Propriety

Some of the Charleroi merchants as well as citizens are putting up a kick about the use of the sidewalks for the display of merchandise by those who use the walks for advertising purposes. It is claimed that the walks in various places about town are so obstructed with merchandise that it is difficult to pass at times where there is a crowd out on Saturday nights or on other crowded occasions. There is a borough ordinance prohibiting the use of more than two feet of the sidewalks in front of a business place. It is claimed that this space is greatly exceeded in some instances and that unless it is discontinued the police will be called upon to enforce the ordinance.

Not only in Charleroi but elsewhere is there a movement on foot among the merchants to put a stop to the out-door displays. In the April number of the "General Store," a monthly periodical published at Pittsburgh and devoted to the interests of merchandising is a strong article against the sidewalk displays. One of the chief reasons for opposition is on the grounds of sanitation. Merchandise exposed out of doors accumulates all sorts of germs, and this is claimed to be a prolific source of disease.

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AUTHORITIES PROCURE FIRE BOSSES REPORTS

Tomorrow is One Easter

Russians to Observe Day--Count Months and Time by Ancient Calendar

Tomorrow is Easter Sunday in the Greek Orthodox church, which is the church of Russia. The reason is that the Russians use the old calendar, which makes a difference of 13 days in dates. However, Easter is chosen in the same way in the Greek Orthodox as in the Roman Catholic and Protestant churches. It falls on the first Sunday after the first full moon on or after March 21, and thus cannot be earlier than March 22, nor later than April 25. This year our Easter fell on March 23, the moon being propitious. But March 21 in the Russian calendar does not arrive until our April 3, and the moon's changes were such that their Easter was a comparatively late one, falling on their April 14, which is our April 27.

VETERANS ARRANGING FOR CAMP

Reunion to be held at Gettysburg of War Survivors

PLANS WELL UNDER WAY

The fiftieth anniversary of the battle of Gettysburg is to be celebrated on the battlefield on July 1, 2, 3 and 4 of this year on a magnificent scale. Accommodations for the entertainment for forty thousand veterans will be provided and the heroes of the "Blue and the Gray" who met in this titanic conflict fifty years ago will mingle once more. But this time the meeting will be on terms of peace and comradeship.

Pennsylvania has created a commission to take charge of the arrangements and Colonel J.M. Schoonmaker, colonel of the 14th Cavalry of Pennsylvania has been appointed chairman of this commission. He has issued a full pamphlet of details which may be had by any veteran or other interested party upon application to Lieutenant Lewis E. Bettler, Room 509 Capital, Harrisburg. The governors of every state and territory in the union including Alaska, Hawaii and Porto Rico have appointed representatives to co-operate with the Pennsylvania State Commission and the indications are that this anniversary will be the grandest military celebration in the history of the country.

Congress has also appointed a committee to represent the National Government to represent the National Government.

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Investigation Into Mine Disaster to Begin Early

HEFFRAN WANTS FULLY

Coroner Tells Chief Mine Inspector There Will be No Delay and No Whitewash

Reports of the fire bosses made to the Pittsburgh Coal company of the condition of the Cincinnati mine a short time preceding the terrible explosion of Wednesday afternoon, were taken in charge by District Attorney Richard G. Miller Friday afternoon, and placed in the hands of Mine Inspector Alexander McCann to be produced when the coroner's inquest is held. At first the mine officials were disposed to not permit the district attorney, his assistant, T. H. W. Fergus, or Coroner James T. Heffran to see the records, but after conferring with their attorney they turned them over.

As soon as the explosion occurred the reports of the fire bosses were locked up by the officials of the company. One purpose of the visit of District Attorney Miller and Assistant District Attorney Fergus to the mine Friday was to secure these reports. Their contents will not be made known until the day of the inquest. It is understood the fire bosses reported gas in Butts Nos. 3, 4 and 6. Considerable stir has been caused among the miners by this report.

Coroner Heffran and District Attorneys Miller and Fergus visited the mine Friday. In discussing the matter with the coroner he expressed a desire to wait several days before he sent in his men to make an inspection. This was when the coroner and Attorneys Miller and Fergus visited the mine at noon Friday. Coroner Heffran insisted upon an immediate inspection as soon as the mine was safe to enter. Roderick objected. After some heated argument Coroner Heffran won his point and Sunday it is likely the first inspection will be made. It will be in charge of Coroner Heffran, who himself is an experienced miner. Coroner Heffran said: "A rigid investigation will be made as to the cause of the terrible disaster which has resulted in the deaths of so many men."

BOXING SHOW TO BE GIVEN TONIGHT

Tonight at Turner Hall a boxing match will take place. The main bout will be fought by Eddie Wimler of Fairhaven and Denny Conlon of Pittsburgh. Lohman of Belle Vernon will meet Cockey. Malone of Black Diamond in the semi-final and Jim Thompson of Charleroi will box with Pellet of Monessen in the opening event.

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CHARITY AT HOME.

Just as the country is about
through thrilling with pity and con-
tributing toward the relief of the
flood sufferers in Ohio and Indiana,
comes the great mine disaster at
Courtney which also demands immed-
iate relief. By this great disaster
many women have been widowed and
a large number of children orphaned.
There are the dependents of wage
earners, and by the death of the
bread winner want will soon be star-
ving them in the face. Immediate re-
lief is needed.

One half of the public does not
know how the other half lives.
Those in the better walks of life who
complain of the high cost of living
do not know, perhaps the severe
strain to which the families of wage
earners are put in trying to make
ends meet between paydays. In most
instances the living existence of the
families of laboring people is main-
tained solely upon the coming pay-
day, and when this payday is cut off
the source of existence is also elimi-
nated. When there is no pay com-
ing credit in most instances ceases,
and immediate want and suffering is
the result.

This is the situation among the
families of the men who lost their
lives in the Courtney disaster. It is
probable that some arrangement will
be made later on to provide for the
dependents ones permanently, but un-
til this is done immediate aid is im-
perative. A local fund for relief has
been started and those who can con-
tribute to tide over the suffering wo-
men and children will be performing
a most worthy act. It is sorely need-
ed.

PLACING THE BLAME.

The action of District Attorney
Miller and County Coroner J. T. He-
fran in taking immediate steps to in-
vestigate the mine disaster at Court-
ney will be heartily approved by the
public. There has always been a
sentiment on the part of the public
that the responsibility for such dis-
asters is never fully revealed and
that if the mining company is at
fault every opportunity is given to
shield it. The prompt action of

Heretofore safety and the well being
of the public had to give way to the
pecuniary and vested interests of in-
dividuals and corporations. This con-
dition is now changing. If there is
to be a sacrifice now, it must be in
the interests of humanity and prop-
erty and vested interests no longer
have the right of way. Those re-
sponsible for great disasters in the
past have been exonerated and white-
washed, but indications are that no
effort will be spared to place the
blame for this disaster where it be-
longs. Human life is not so cheap as
it has been made to appear in the
past.

Examiners
Appointed

F. W. Cunningham, Harry
Drum and John Stephenson
Are Named by the Court

Upon petition of F. W. Cunning-
ham, inspector of the 21st bituminous
coal district of Pennsylvania, through
his counsel, Alex M. Templeton, the
court has appointed F. W. Cunning-
ham, of Charleroi, a mine inspector;
John Stephenson, a miner of ten
years' experience, and Harry C.
Drum, a superintendent, members of
the examining board of the 21st dis-
trict.

INDIANAPOLIS CLUB
IN BENEFIT GAME

A benefit game of baseball between
the Charleroi Independents and the
Indianapolis team of the Federal
League, which Manager Bill Phillips
is training here will be played next
Thursday. The proceeds are for the
Charleroi Playgrounds Fund, and a
large attendance is expected. The
date was decided upon this after-
noon and further arrangements will
be announced later.

LOVER

A surprise birthday party was given
in honor of Miss Hazel, daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rider Monday
evening. The young folks spent a
pleasant evening and left quite a
number of beautiful presents in hon-
or of the occasion. Dainty refresh-
ments were served which made the
evening all the more enjoyable.

Wilbur Thompson near Coal Cen-
ter is spending a few days this week
here hanging paper for Mrs. Blaine
Duvall.

Mrs. I. E. Morris is visiting at the
home of her son Clyde in Sunbury,
Ohio.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Ray Small-
wood of the Ridge a daughter, April
19.

Mrs. E. N. Allman has returned
home from a visit with her daughter,
Mrs. William Santers.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harrison en-
tertained several young folks at a
party at their home Thursday even-
ing of last week.

Mrs. Sol Rider and children of
Hayes Station are visiting at the
home of her father-in-law, Teagar-
den Rider.

A very large crowd attended the
party given by Miss Mayselle Scott,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles
Scott Thursday evening. A nice time
was had by those present.

Galbraith school will close April
30 with a picnic dinner by the school.

Miss Ora Letherman and sister
Mrs. Anna O'Hara were here Tues-
day canvassing for the Monongahela
Times, Miss Ora being in the contest
which is being conducted by that pa-
per.

Mrs. J. W. Thompson near Coal
Centre spent Wednesday with her
niece, Miss Bertie Waller.

Larry Gossitt and family who spent
a few days the first of the week with
Mrs. Gossitt's father, Frank Hope-
well have returned to their home at
Fredericktown.

PICKED UP IN PASSING VETERANS ARRANG-
ING FOR CAMP

The roots of the national sport
have struck deeper than we know,
says the New York Evening Post.
It is not enough that the opening of
the baseball season finds Americans
in a flutter of pleasure; that as the
weeks go by prominent lawyers,
bankers and clergyman, to say noth-
ing of an army of business men, will
study the percentages and carefully
tuck them away in their memory.
People have grown accustomed, too,
to hearing the situations of every-
day life expressed in terms of "the
game." This of course is because the
game has grown up in a typically
Americans environment.

From somebody's head has sprung
the baseball muse, and in newspapers
throughout the land are appearing
day by day elaborate odes. From our
countrymen the following as a part of the day's
work:

"Play ball!" Again the summons runs
Through city, hamlet, town and
state,

Like the long roll of martial drums
That call a warrior to his fate.

Where he may snatch the victor's
crown

From Fame upon the scarlet field
Or, fighting to the last go down,

To be borne home upon his shield
"Play ball!" A countless horde of fans

From various vantage points descry
The colors of the gathering clans

And raise once more the battle cry
The waves of sound are outward
hurled

To merge in one deep clarion call
That echoes half around the world,
The game is on! Play ball! Play
ball!"

With the native stock sitting shoul-
der to shoulder with the newer citi-
zens from France, Germany, Sweden,
and with representatives of all
nations among the players; with the
president of the republic and mayors
of cities, plutocrats and commuters,
policemen and gamblers, as specta-
tors, baseball embraces all elements
of the country and its language has
come to be racy of the soil.

BENTLEYVILLE
MAN AN HEIR

Receives Almost Entire In-
heritance of Woman and
Was Not a Relative

By a decision of Judge J. A. Mc-
Elvaine at Washington Friday the
most of the \$500,000 estate of Mrs.
Elizabeth Phillips, an eccentric resi-
dent of West Pike Run township,
Washington county goes to Charles
Miller, a young business man of Ben-
tleyville not related to Mrs. Phillips
By this decision a fortune which has
remained in an old Washington coun-
ty family three generations goes out
of the family.

Mrs. Phillips was the last direct
member of the family and litigation
started three years ago by distant
cousins has been before the courts.
The cousins sought to break the will
on the ground that Miller used undue
influence over the aged woman in her
declining days.

The upholding of the Phillips will
makes certain for various churches,
charitable organizations and for
Washington county large sums left
by the woman. Washington county
receives \$10,000 to be applied to the
court house bonds; the County and
Children's Homes each will receive
\$4,000; the Beallsville Cemetery com-
pany, \$1,000; Beallsville Methodist
Episcopal Church, \$7,000; Beallsville
Presbyterian church, \$500; Center-
ville Methodist Episcopal church, \$1,-
500; Clover Hill Methodist Episcopal
church, \$1,500; Zion Methodist Episco-
pal church of Deemston, \$1,500;
Beallsville school district, \$3,000;
West Pike Run school district, \$1,500;
the Board of Home Missions, Board
of Foreign Missions, Board of Church
Extension and Deaconess' society of
the Methodist Episcopal church of

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ernment on this occasion and the
Secretary of War or such officer as
he may designate will have the phys-
ical control of the camp and grounds
and the movement of troops.

For the benefit of the veterans in
the Civil War and their friends who
may contemplate attendance at Get-
tysburg the following information is
published:

The sum as \$300,000 has been pro-
vided by the national government and
the state of Pennsylvania to create
and maintain a great camp around the
battlefield, complete in all provisions
of camp and garrison, equipped with
commissary and hospital supplies, am-
ple to provide for forty thousand vet-
erans.

Five thousand tents with equip-
ment, complete sleeping soap, towel
and toilet accessories, will be pro-
vided, each in touch with the repre-
sentative from this state as he alone
will have authority to assign veter-
ans to their proper tents.

To avoid congestion in the railroads
the camp will be thrown open to vet-
erans on Sunday, June 2, supper be-
ing the first meal served and the en-
tertainment of the veterans will con-
tinue until the following Sunday, July
6, breakfast on the morning being the
last meal served.

No accommodations have been pro-
vided except for veterans and this is
to be noted by soldiers who will be
accompanied by friends especially wo-
men and children. The veterans must
provide for each friend outside of
the camp and they should make the
necessary arrangements before going
to Gettysburg. Credentials will be
exact from each and every veter-
an, honorable discharge papers, pen-
sion certificates, certificates of ser-
vice or certificates of identification
from commander of the post of the
Grand Army of the Republic will be
accepted as credentials.

No free transportation has yet
been provided by the Pennsylvania
legislature, but rates will be granted
by all railroads. Legislation is now
pending whereby transportation may
be provided for Pennsylvania veter-
ans.

A great tent seating 15,000 veter-
ans will be provided where all exer-
cises except military parades and
free works will be held. This tent is
so arranged that it can be divided in-
to smaller compartments for reunion
purposes and veterans wishing reser-
vations made of these hall-rooms
should file an application early with
Lieutenant Lewis E. Beitel.

AMONG THE THEATRES

THE GRAND-PITTSBURG

It is doubtful if the theatrical season
thus far has offered for the delecta-
ing attraction than that which is to
top Mr. Harry Davis' program of re-
fined vaudeville in the Grand for one
week, beginning next Monday after-
noon, April 23. We refer to the com-
ing of Miss Lilian Russell, foremost
American stage beauty and feminine
philosopher, who will give a taboloid
version of her unique illustrated lec-
ture, "How to Live One Hundred
Years." Miss Russell, however, was
persuaded by Mr. Davis to play the
forthcoming week in vaudeville at a
salary exceeding that ever paid to
any single performer on the stage;
namely, thirty-five hundred dollars.
There will be two series of specially
composed motion pictures in color
taken by the Kinemacolor process and
depicting the star in her dressing room
in the process of making up for the
stage.

Mr. Davis has also engaged a list
of feature attractions including Ger-
trude Vanderbilt, who was lately the
features of Raymond Hitchcock's pro-
duction of "The Red Widow" and
George Moore, a clever vaudevillian.
There will surely be a riot of fun
when the Empire Comedy Four un-
limbers. This is certainly the fun-
niest vocal quartet on the stage. Its
star is Joe Jenny, a German dialect-
ican of prankish habits. His associ-
ates are James Cunningham, Al Green
and James Kelly. "The Burglar's
Union" will be played by Williams,
Thompson and Copeland, a trio en-
tirely new in Pittsburgh.

will be supplied by "Church" Riesner
and Henrietta Gores. It is called "It's
Only a Show" and is supposed to re-
veal some of the secrets of the stage.
Mr. Davis also announces several
other features in addition to a selec-
tion of motion pictures the whole
comprising a diversified program in
consonance with the Grand's well-
established high standard of refined
entertainment.

"KEEP IN SHAPE"
ADVISES PHILLIPS

Manager of Indianapolis
Team Says There Will be
Plenty of Work Next Week

"Keep in shape, but don't over-
work," is the advice that Manager
Bill Phillips has been giving his men
training out here for the Indianapolis
Federal league. "Next week there
will be work and plenty of it, and
then will be the time to plug," Man-
ager Phillips is suffering from a crum-
pled limb, but is of the opinion that
the first of next week he will be able
to lead the players a merry chase.
His arm is in good condition, and it
would not be surprising to see him
taking his regular turn in the box
with Indianapolis when the season
gets well started.

Friday afternoon and this morning
much attention was given to fielding
practice. Tiemyer and "Dusty" Mil-
ler reported Friday and got into
gear. Tiemyer is an all round in-
fielder from the Tri State league,
having played last year with the
Trenton team. He looks good at
third base. Last year he played the
first cushion position. Scot is prac-
ticing on short, though he has usually
been playing third base. "Dusty"
Miller is an outfielder who last year
was a mainstay with a Western league
team. He is a good hitter.

It begins to look as though Phil-
lips had picked a bunch of husky hit-
ters. Their records show their abil-
ity in that line. Massing, the hefty
catcher has been getting in form by
rehearsing at the first pillow, in the
absence of Swartling. He looks
as though he would kill a ball if he
ever met it straight, and his record

INJURED THUMB;
BLOOD POISONING

George Giles of Roscoe who is em-
ployed as a carpenter on the P. V. &
C. railroad is suffering very serious-
ly from blood poisoning. While at
his work a week ago he ran into his
thumb a small splinter from a piece
of slag. It did not give him any
pain till Sunday morning. A doctor
was called in and he pronounced the
case one of blood poisoning. Mr.
Giles can neither eat nor sleep. It is
feared that by some that he may have
to have his hand amputated.

STATE MAKES OFFER
TO BUY SCHOOL

The stockholders of the California
school have been called to meet on
Tuesday, May 20, at 2 o'clock, to vote
on the proposition of accepting or re-
jecting the offer of the state board
of education to purchase the prop-
erty of said school. The offer made by
the state is \$2,500 for the stock-
holders and the assumption of all
debts by the state.

Monessen Pastor to Leave.
Rev. G. H. Eveler has tendered
his resignation as pastor of the Eng-
lish Lutheran church at Monessen to
take effect May 1. Rev. Eveler has
accepted a charge at Dillsville and
the members of his Monessen flock
regret his departure as he has been
stationed there more than two years
and made many friends.

with Danville places him third best
batter with an average of .333.
Swartling has been detained from re-
porting on account of the illness of
his father.

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WILLIAM SHUNK
HURT IN A FALL
SEWICKLEY OPENS
SEASON HERE TODAY

Wm. Shunk of Belle Vernon, a car-
penter was injured this morning at
about 8 o'clock in a fall of about 10
feet from a building on Eighth street
where he was working. The scaffold-
ing broke dropping Shunk and his
companion. His companion escaped
unhurt but Shunk's back struck on
the edge of the porch and he was
painfully injured. The attending phy-
sician stated that his worst hurts con-
sisted of torn muscles.

With the opening game of base-
ball between the Charleroi Independ-
ents, and the Sewickley bunch under
the leadership of "Joe" Mason, Char-
leroi fans will get their first taste
of the national sport on local grounds
this afternoon. Charleroi's battery
is announced as Ryan, Price or
Briggs and Durell. Sewickley will
have Shaw, Jones or Pennington,
and Peters, Hock or Kelley. The
game is to be called at 3:30.

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Everybody who reads
this paper knows
that the people of
this community
are in a
state of
panic.
Catch the Drift?
Here is the reason.
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Catch the Drift?

Your Earning Power

Will not last forever—there'll come a time when you will be compelled to "lean on your oar" and watch the boat of mortality drift along the stream of time. And are you making provision for this final vacation while your earning power is at its best?

A plan of systematic saving is necessary—and the most feasible one is to start a saving account with this bank and add a little each pay day. It will surprise you what a year's saving will amount to.

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St. Cloud, Minn.—"I was so run down by overwork and worry that I could not stand it to have my children talk aloud or walk heavy on the floor. One of my friends said, 'Try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, for I know a doctor's daughter here in town who takes it and she would not take it if it were not good.'"

"I sent for the Compound at once and kept on taking it until I was all right."—Mrs. BERTHA M. QUICKSTADT, 727 5th Avenue, S., St. Cloud, Minn.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound may be relied upon as the most efficient remedy for female ills. Why don't you try it?

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AMONG THE CHURCHES

Washington Avenue Presbyterian Sabbath school at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Sermon, "Our Lord's Supreme Desire." Junior C. E. at 2:30. Mrs. Ellis Allman, superintendent. Senior C. E. at 7. Topic, "Missions." Leader Mrs. S. C. Speers. Preaching at 8. Sermon, "Discovering Good in Unexpected Places." Strangers, and those without a church home are cordially invited to worship, with us. Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

Lutheran.
Washington and Sixth street. Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Subject of sermon, "Perseverance in Well Doing." Luther League at 6:30. Vesper services with sermon at 7:30. Subject, "The Young Man and His Vision." The public is most cordially invited to all these services. Rev. C. P. Bastian, pastor.

First Christian.
Followfield near Sixth. Bible school at 9:45. You are welcome. Come! Lord's supper and preaching at 11. Subject, "Administration for Christian Living." Junior Christian Endeavor at 3. Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Subject, "Bible Work and Its Relation to Mission." Leader, Duncan Berryman. Evening worship at 7:30. Subject, "Caleb, The Spy." Wednesday prayer meeting at 8. Teacher training classes at 9. This is the people's church. All are cordially invited to our services. You are welcome. Come! Rev. E. N. Duty, pastor.

St. Mary's Episcopal.
Corner Sixth and Lookout. Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon at 11. The rector will preach a special sermon to the order of the Sons of St. George who will attend the morning service in a body. Evening prayer and address at 7:30. Subject "The Way of the Slothful and the Righteous." All are cordially invited. Rev. Lucius W. Shey, rector.

First Methodist Episcopal
Corner Lincoln and Sixth. Church and Sunday school at 10:30. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at this service. Junior Epworth League at 2:30. Epworth League at 6:30. Public worship at 7:30, subject of sermon, "The Eternal Refuge." Everybody welcome. Rev. F. A. Richards, minister.

Baptist
Bible school at 9:45. Morning worship at 11. Sermon by the pastor. Young People's meeting at 6:30. Subject "Baptist Bible Work." Leader, D. C. Whitlatch.

First Presbyterian
Sunday school at 9:45. Morning service at 11. A collection will be received for the General Assembly. Junior C. E. at 2:30. Senior C. E. at 6:30. Evening service at 7:30. Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor.

EPWORTH LEAGUE SOCIAL IS HELD

The Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal church entertained at a social Friday evening at the church. An interesting program was carried out as follows. Reading, Miss Gwendolyn Richards; soprano solo, Miss Mary Glunt; reading, Raymond Craft; song, "Annie Laurie," soprano solo, Miss Ethel Booth; reading, Miss Vida Goehring; paper, "A Dream," Bill Booth; impromptu class, conducted by Miss Edith Hazelett; open debate, "Resolved, that a horse is better than an auto."

"DID HE RUN?" SURE SAID JOHN JENKINS

The second engagement of the Colonial Minstrels at the Palace Theatre last night again drew crowded houses. The solos and choruses were of an unusual high order, and all had to respond to encores. The gags were new for the most part, and some of them had a local application.

The hit of the evening, however was John Jenkins' song, "Did He Run?" which most cleverly brought in some of the experiences of the Charleroi "snipe hunters." With a matinee this afternoon the show will be repeated tonight, which will close a most successful engagement.

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Greensboro Gas Company

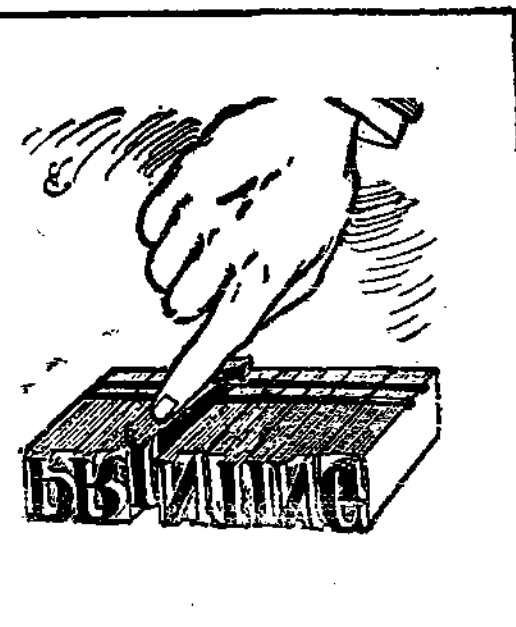
We are now showing a complete line of ladies and misses white dresses, lace and embroidery trimmed.

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I want to send you a complete ten day's treatment

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SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

Y. T. Daniel, music supervisor
of the Charleroi schools went to
Pittsburg today to attend the ban-
quet and final meeting of the super-
visors of music of Western Pennsyl-
vania at the Seventh Avenue Hotel.

M. Whitlatch is transacting busi-
ness in Pittsburg today.

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Washington and Jefferson College Team to Play Hard Game With Pittsburg Pirates Next Week



W. & J. Varsity Baseball Squad For Season of 1913

Top row, left to right—Artman, Nicholson, Greenway, Chalfant, Dyer, Leydic, Cornwell.
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Third row—Ward, Wesbecher, Moser, Eaton, Captain Haymaker, Bovill, Cruikshank, Fleming.
Lower row—Graf, Goodwin, Lane, Irvine, Heyman, Schwab.

The biggest game of the season for the Washington and Jefferson baseball team as well as one of the most important sporting event of the local season is scheduled for next Tuesday, April 29 when the Pittsburg club of the National League will

meet the college players at College Field, Washington, Pa. This will be Pittsburg's first exhibition event of the year and was only arranged after the most earnest solicitation on the part of the W. & J. management. The game will be in the nature of a

testimonial to the loyalty with which the fans of Washington county have always supported the Pirates. Preparations are being made to handle the biggest crowd that ever thronged College Field for any athletic event. The admission will be

RELIEF FUND IS STARTED

Fraternal Order of Eagles First Locally to Contribute

Through the initiative of Charleroi Aerie, No. 390, Fraternal Order of Eagles, a relief fund has been started in Charleroi for the benefit of the families of the men who lost their lives in the disastrous mine explosion at Courtney. At their regular meeting Friday night the Charleroi Aerie took action and unanimously voted a donation of \$50 for the benefit of the dependent families of the explosion victims. A committee composed of E. R. Allen, George Newton, W. R. Gaut, W. H. Zellers, Jr., and Chas. Wallgren, waited on the Mail and requested that the paper start a relief fund, beginning with the contribution of the Charleroi Eagles. To this proposition the Mail Publishing company heartily agreed, and to the contribution of the Eagles adds \$10. Later President John B. Schafer of the Charleroi Business Men's Association got busy, and that body contributed \$25.

The funds, as now constituted stands as follows:
Charleroi Aerie, 390, F. O. E. \$50
Mail Publishing Co. \$10
Charleroi Business Men's Ass'n. \$25

Total \$85
This will be turned over to the proper relief committee and all additional contributions will be gladly received by the Mail Publishing company, published and duly credited. Many of the victims had friends and relatives in Charleroi, and as the need for aid for the stricken families is imperative, it is believed that a liberal contribution will be forthcoming.

MONESSEN GRADUATES TWENTY-ONE PUPILS

have a graduating class of 21 students this year, the largest in the history of the school. The annual sermon to the graduating class will be given Sunday, May 25 and the commencement exercises will take place in the opera house on May 28. Thos. Ryan is the valedictorian and Thos. Preston the salutatorian.

IDENTIFIED DEAD IN MINE HORROR

Previously Identified.

William McColligan, of Jacobs Creek, aged 31 years, first aid man. Married and leaves wife and two children. Body identified by his brother, James R. McColligan.

Charles Bowen, of Riverview, 36 year old, American, coal cutter. Married. Identified by his brother, David Bowen.

Henry Wood, of Nottingham township, aged 19 years, a driver. Single. Identified by his nephew, William Johnson.

Robert Anderson, of Courtney, English, aged 38 years, machine boss. Married and leaves wife and four children. Identified by James Sabin, a brother-in-law.

Walter Wilkinson, of Gastonville, aged 39 years, colored, loader. Married. Identified by S. W. Morris, a friend.

John Keserouskis, of Hackett, aged 22 years, Russian, loader. Identified by Joe Lukis, with whom he boarded.

Louis Vernoski, of Hackett, aged 37 years, Austrian, loader. Married and leaves wife and 10 children. Identified by Matt Verniski, a brother.

Walter Conley, of Finleyville, aged 24 years, driver. Married. Identified by Frank Conley, a brother.

Emil Leroy, of Courtney, aged 24 years, French, laborer. Married and leaves wife and four children. Identified by Louis Shulbert, a step-brother.

Louis Clater, colored of Courtney, widower, 49 years old, miner, identified by W. E. Brown.

Tony Modezerski, 28 years old of Courtney, Russian, single, identified by Pete Barna.

Charles Hager, colored of Courtney, 45 years old, married, miner identified by his neighbor Jean Behannah.

Peter Mockos, of Courtney, 45 years old, single, identified by a friend.

Stephen Long, of Courtney, 31 years old, coal cutter, single, identified by his brother.

Wm. J. Warner, 55 years old, widower. Identified by son.

John Clement, colored of Finleyville, 35 years old, identified by three brothers.

Peter Revomski, of Courtney, 45 years old, single, identified by boarding mistress.

William McNeil, Scotchman, aged 36, lived at Granville, mine foreman, married, leaves wife and two children. Identified by his brother, John McNeil, Jr.

Harry Hines, miner of Riverview, single, identified by his brother.

Archibald Ferguson, Scotchman, of Riverview, 55 years old, married; identified by Charles Behanna.

Charles H. Miller, colored, of Finleyville, 31 years old, married, six children; identified by his stepfather, F. C. Winbush.

Joseph Weldon, of Coal Bluff, 29 years old, a widower with two children, assistant mine foreman; identified by his brother, O. J. Weldon.

Victor Atrinis, of Cincinnati Patch, 28 years old, married, two children; identified by his wife.

Walter Bennett, colored, of Venetia 37 years old, married; identified by his brother, Joseph Bennett.

Lem Briggs, of Venetia, 40 years old, married, two children; identified by Alva Osborne.

Andy Pazinneta, Italian of Courtney, 29 years old, married, two children; identified by his cousin, John Donina.

Felix Donina, of Courtney, 29 years old, single; identified by Mike Donina.

Stana Kultannowski, Russian of Courtney, 45 years old, married; identified by Cerna Skorneial.

Walter Terebezo, Russian, Courtney, 20 years old, single; identified by his sister, Mrs. Joseph Zink.

William Bennett, colored of Finleyville, 39 years old, married; identified by his brother, Joseph Bennett.

Charles Narache, Italian, Finleyville, 25 years old, single; identified by Martha Smith.

John Polowski of Courtney, 26 years old, single; identified by Mike Nakutis.

Frank Felletine, Courtney, 28 years old, married, two children; identified by his wife.

William Sabutis, Courtney, 34 years old, single; identified by his cousin, Mike Nakutis.

George Didyrgis, of Courtney, 26 years old, single; identified by Mike Nakutis.

Frank Fitchue, colored, Finleyville, 23 years old, single; identified by his sister, Sarah Weaver.

Robert Garner, colored, Finleyville 34 years old, married; identified by his wife.

Joseph H. Weaver, colored, Finleyville, 36 years old, married, three children; identified by his sister, Mary Oliver.

Joe Galanta, of Courtney, 31 years old, married, one child; identified by his wife.

John Henry Rush, of Gastonville, 26 years old, married, one child; identified by his wife.

Identified Today.
Andy Skornyak, of Courtney, 35 years old, married, three children.

Silmo Spandinia, of Courtney, 21 years old, single.

Thomas Ford, of Finleyville, 47 years old, married, one child.

David Stratton, of Finleyville, married.

William Watson, of Courtney, 21

years old, single.

William Besy, of Courtney, 31 years old, married, three children.

Charles Alston, of Finleyville, 40 years old, married, four children.

Geo. Herrman of Monongahela, 31 years old, widower.

John Terebezo, of Courtney, 24 years old, single.

Emile Longlasis, of Monongahela, 35 years old, married, two children.

Guiseppi Donati, of Courtney, 32 year old, married, three children.

Gracomi Zannotti, of Courtney, 24 years old, single.

Baptiste Polamandi, of Courtney, 31 years old, married, two children.

Peter Bacevicio, of Courtney, married, one child.

Henry Leach, of Crookham, single, 20 years old.

Peter Mercer of Monongahela, 21 years old, single.

James Busby, of Crookham, 32 years old, married, four children.

Wm. Rutkovski, of Courtney, 27 years old, single.

Joe Lorenez of Courtney, 50 years old, married, five children.

Joe Dale, of Courtney, 29 years old, single.

John Lappe, of Elkhorn, 44 years old, married, four children.

Thos. Carter, of Shire Oaks, 18 years old, single.

Oscar Alston, of Finleyville, 17 years old, single.

George Alston, of Finleyville, 54 years old, married, one child.

Thos. Donnelly of Finleyville, 34 years old, married, five children.

Merle Brewer, of Monongahela, 24 years old, single.

Joe Kichi of Cincinnati Patch, 35 years old, married, two children.

Wm. Ruthotiski, of Courtney, 27 years old, single.

Mat Fabyan, of Courtney, 37 years old, married, four children.

kept in order with the fest of the town.

Another reason for objections that such displays detract from the appearance of a town, and where used it is claimed that the stores and pre-

fectious diseases.

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